POSITION: Scriptwriter, Insurgent Radio Kiosk

REPORTS TO: News and Talk Director

HOURS: Flexible. About 2-3 hours on Fridays/ Saturdays spent gathering information on community events and writing scripts.

DESCRIPTION: You are the volunteer scriptwriter for the Insurgent Radio Kiosk.

The Insurgent Radio Kiosk is four-minute interstitial aired Monday through Friday. It is aired each weekday at 5am, 6:30am, 9am, and 2pm.

Each day’s Kiosk is different, but the format is the same. It is comprised of a two-minute calendar of community information and events in the WORT listening area, and a two-minute commentary submitted by listeners or pulled from a variety of sources.

This position is in charge of writing scripts for each day’s calendar of community information and events. Those scripts are then read and produced by a rotating collective of volunteers.

This position is flexible, and can be done remotely. You’re also welcome (under non-COVID times) to write scripts at the station.

OUR EXPECTATIONS:

• You’re comfortable with computers, word processing, and email.
• You’re able to reliably write five, two-minute broadcast scripts.
• Scripts are timed to approximately two minutes, checked for errors and readability, and include occasional pronunciations for script readers.
• You value accuracy in keeping our listeners informed of useful local information and opportunities. The events and information you highlight are in the public interest.
• Scripts are emailed by Saturday so they can be recorded by volunteers over the weekend.

WE PROVIDE:

• Training on writing scripts for broadcast.
• Infrastructure to find events of interest, including a wortfm.org email account.
• An opportunity to be part of WORT and deliver information in the public interest on our nonprofit, noncommercial, listener-powered airwaves.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO APPLY:

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